

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:

**Pike et al.**

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Examiner: **San Martin, Edgardo**

Docket No. **011645-1030**

For: **Sound Absorbing Wall Systems and Methods of Producing Same**

**RESPONSE (WITH AMENDMENTS)**

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Sir:

The final Office Action mailed January 3, 2008 has been carefully considered. In response thereto, please consider the following remarks.

**AUTHORIZATION TO DEBIT ACCOUNT**

It is not believed that additional fees are required, beyond those which may otherwise be provided for in the documents accompanying this paper. However, in the event that additional fees are necessary to allow consideration of this paper, such extensions are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net additions of claims) are hereby authorized to be charged to Deposit Account 20-0778.